Docket No.: 50090-309

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Yasuhito SUZUKI, et al.

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SEMICONDUCTOR PACKAGE AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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Mail Stop Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

For:

<u>Transmitted</u> herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

|  | NO. OF<br>CLAIMS | HIGHEST<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | EXTRA<br>CLAIMS | RATE      | FEE     |
|--|------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|
| Total Claims   | 20               | 20                                | 0               | \$18.00 = | \$0.00  |
| Independent Claims                                     | 4                | 3                                 | 1               | \$86.00 = | \$86.00 |
|  |                  | Multiple claims newly presented   |                 |           | \$0.00  |
| Fee for extension of time  Total of Above Calculations |                  |                                   |                 | \$0.00    |         |
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Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$86.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 17, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including a sheet with figures for explaining a difference between the claimed invention and the prior art.

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